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WORLD BANK ASSISTANCE FOR URBAN TRANSPORT PROJECTS
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the World Bank has provided financial assistance to various State Government for Urban Transport Projects during each of the last three years;

(b) if so, the details thereof State-wise ;

(c) the present status of the above projects; and

(d) the time by which the above projects are likely to be completed ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI PAWAN KUMAR BANSAL)

(a) to (d) No Sir. the World Bank has not provided any assistance to the States during the last three years for Urban Transport Projects. However, there is one ongoing project in the State of Maharashtra namely Mumbai Urban Transport Project (MUTP) which was made effective on 6th November, 2002. The total World Bank assistance for this project is US$ 542 million. Out of the total loan amount of US$ 542, US$ 176 million has been disbursed upto 30th June, 2006. The loan closing date of the project is 30th June, 2008.